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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
TOSHIO TSUKAKOSHI : EXAMINER: STOCK, G.  
SERIAL NO: 10/608,032 :  
FILED: JUNE 30, 2003 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2877  
FOR: IMAGE FORMING :  
CHARACTERISTICS MEASURING  
METHOD, IMAGE FORMING  
CHARACTERISTICS ADJUSTING  
METHOD, EXPOSURE METHOD AND  
APPARATUS, PROGRAM AND  
STORAGE MEDIUM, AND DEVICE  
MANUFACTURING METHOD

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated May 21, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 44 of this paper.

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